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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In the Office Action dated July 18, 2007, the Examiner identified the application as containing claims directed to seven distinct species. The Examiner has required the Applicants to elect a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits to which the claims shall be restricted.

In response to the Examiner's requirement, Applicants elect Species I, drawn to Figs. 1-4. Claims 1 and 2 are readable on the elected species.

Applicants submit that if any of the elected claims are found to be allowable, claims dependent therefrom should similarly be considered allowable in the same application. Having made the required election, a full examination on the merits of the elected invention is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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